# EXHIBIT 2

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**Short Title:** Enhanced-Content HTML Overlay

**Inventorship:** ▉▉▉▉▉

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**Complexity:** Medium

**Additional Information Required:** ▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉

**Bar Dates:** none

**Products including the invention** ▉▉▉▉▉▉▉

**Difficulties:** none

**Related inventions or applications:** none

**Decisions required of Microsoft:** none

**Invention Summary:** The invention includes the concept of treating video as a background surface within a web browser. Logically, this is accomplished by associating a control file with a video. The control file indicates when certain .HTML files should be displayed relative to time and/or to the current frame number of the video.

Overlaying .HTML information on the video is accomplished using color keying or *chromakey* technology, in which video hardware displays video only in pixels having a pre-defined "chroma" color.

**Potential Claim Focus:** ▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉▉

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